

**SAUNTERINGS**  
From Where The West Begins.  
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For The Sea Coast Echo.

**UNCLE SAM** has decided that his army must be motorized to keep abreast modern trends. This official order was received as a matter of military formality until a newspaper story spread rumor that five veteran army mules would be shot to death with adoption of this motorization plan.

This faithful quartet of army mules saw active service with Pershing's Mexican Border Expedition in 1916. Today, now along in years, they are still serving with the colors here at Fort Sam Houston.

Indignant citizens from widespread sections of the country have come to the defense of the mules' lives. Telegrams and written protests have reached army officials at the post. All express opinion that shooting the army mules after years of faithful service would be brutal and inhuman, and a discredit to the United States army.

A letter printed in the San Antonio Express from a reader voiced the ironic suggestion, "Why not shoot General Pershing. He's 'too old to work.' Personally, we feel these five loyal, four-legged vets should be retired to grassy pastures for the balance of their lives. It would be deserved recognition for services well performed.

If the condemned mules could voice their sentiments they would snap to military attention, and plead a good soldier's chance to continue service in behalf of flag and country.

**A** NEW racket has been brought to the attention of police. Cheap racketeers steal household pets, pretending they have strayed, in order to collect rewards attached owners will pay to recover these pets. Severe punishment should be death for this type, when positive proof of the act can be established.

**CHAMBERS** of Commerce officials and postmasters receive many strange requests in the daily mail. Young women and men from the east often request the name and address of eligible cowboy and cowgirl sweethearts. They believe all western cowboys are heroes as portrayed on the silver screen. Postmaster Lucas received a letter from an Oklahoma woman seeking his aid in locating a home remedy medicine made from deer blood. Others want to know if cowboys and Indians still have battles around San Antonio. True, however, any herb remedies can be found in local Mexican drug stores that are not sold in the American stores.

**A**UTOMOBILES were up in the air over their 1934 license plates. A special session of the Legislature was called by Governor A. Ferguson. Among other pressing issues, presented the Legislature was a two-month period of grace for purchase of automobile plates. This emergency bill passed the house, but failed to make the grade in the Senate. Had the Senate approved the measure by a two-thirds majority, the governor would have signed, and Texans would have until March 31 to purchase license for automobiles. A late respite was granted last year. A bill is pending to make this a permanent state law, and to set registration fee of passenger motor vehicles at \$5.00. Current fees are based on weight, size, and horsepower. Motorists delaying purchase of new license awaiting legislative aid must pay 20 per cent penalty.

A home-coined simile: Immovable as the bolts on last year's license plates. Ask the fellow who changed his own.

**T**HE army's slogan about 'making men' can be elaborated upon. A class of 14 army cooks recently graduated from bakers and cooks school at one of the local army camps. What a catch these lads will make for some modern flappers with upturned noses in the direction of the kitchen and its bright array of pots and pans.

**W**EDNESDAY is St. Valentine's day. Each year the number of comic valentines become fewer. We sorta hate to see this mischievous prank loose its footing. A lot of faults were exposed in this harmless way that friends and enemies dared not make known to our faces—Pulchre, now, gentle and ungente readers, this is not an invitation for brickbats.

And here's a hint to you husbands, brothers and Romeos—Nothing pleases a lady-fair more than a red, heart-shaped box of candy and a frilly lace Valentine with tender sentiment verse to fit the occasion.

**A** READER of this column sends a 60-year-old pamphlet uncovering an interesting cigar sale stunt used by a San Antonio wholesale firm back in the 'good old days.' Most of the space on the cover of this small, four-page pamphlet is occupied by a picture of a sewing machine. Below this deal is listed: We offer you 1000 Bonanza Cigars and one of these \$45.00 machines for \$35.00. A description of the cigar, a 5-cent seller, and the dealer's name completes the page. The remainder of the pamphlet is given over to details of the sewing machine.

An old-timer informs that cigars were also sold to dealers in fancy trunks and other useful articles in bygone days.

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### PAVING PROJECT TOWN OF WAVELAND APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT

Mayor W. A. Mapp Receives Telegram From Senator Pat Harrison to That Effect—Expenditure of \$49,000.00 For Town.

Mayor W. A. Mapp of Waveland received a telegram from Senator Pat Harrison at Washington informing him that the president had applied the necessary signature of approval to the CWA paving project planned for Waveland, costing \$49,000.00, which the voters recently had voted for. The project now approved, it was said no delay would keep the project from being carried out at the earliest possible time.

Route of proposed paving covers the streets over the following route: At that point of intersection of Beach Boulevard and Waveland Avenue down Waveland avenue to railroad depot. From Railroad depot along R. R. Avenue to the intersection of Coleman avenue. From Coleman avenue to Mollere's Groceria, to meet that part of the avenue already paved on to the beachway.

With its Beach boulevard white way, now being gradually built and hard-surfaced streets, Waveland will boast of an outstanding improvement, one of daily usage and of lasting construction and with funds that were obtained under means of governmental financing. Mayor Mapp, members of the town council and others instrumental in getting this appropriation are to be congratulated on their success. Waveland will soon be boasting of metropolitan airs.

### St. Stanislaus Mardi Gras Organization To Stage Dance Tuesday Night

The students of Stanislaus will sponsor a Carnival Dance Mardi Gras, from the hour of six till eleven. This annual dance at Stanislaus has become one of the school's biggest and best celebrations. Starting many years ago when most of the young men who form the present student body were mere babies. The Carnival dance has afforded entertainment to the students of Stanislaus and their friends for many a year. The dance this year promises to be one of the best that Stanislaus has ever witnessed. There will be all the glamorous decorations that have been seen at the carnival celebrations with possibly more elaborate touches. There will be refreshments of the best quality, and one thing for which the dances have always been famous is the over abundant supply of these refreshments.

Invitations have been sent to all the young ladies. The boys who are to attend have been given their cards of admittance. Admittance will be by invitation only. This applies to

### W.O.W. BALL FOR MARDI GRAS DAY

Cedar Grove Camp to Give Annual Day and Night Ball on February 13.

Without the Woodmen of the World annual day and night ball it would not seem like Mardi Gras in Bay St. Louis. This affair has become an annual institution and we owe much to the Woodmen for this form of both day and night entertainment.

This year Mardi Gras occurs February 13, on Tuesday of next week, therefore, the event is close at hand. There will be two dances. One beginning at 1 P. M., sharp and the other at 7 o'clock sharp. Admission to either will be 50 cents for gentlemen and 25 cents for ladies. Music by the Rhythm Kings.

Arrangement Committee: Frank Quintini, chairman; Dan Ziegler, Joseph V. Bontemps, Gaspar Maurer, Daniel Fayard, Gaston Ladner, Fred Banderet.

The Woodmen annual Mardi Gras Ball attracts many people, both day and night. This year will not prove the exception. From all adjacent sections, the committee reports, many will attend.

### Pass Club to Beautify OST City Entrance

Pass Christian, Feb. 7.—Work was begun yesterday by the Pass Christian Garden Club in beautifying the entrances into the city, principally the east and west entrances into the municipality on the Old Spanish Trail.

Landscape grouping of evergreens have been placed, with rbor vitae, pittiporum and yucca being used, and the planting is doing much to add to the beautification of the highway.

The work is one of the projects fostered by the garden club in its 1934 program.

all. The doorkeepers have their orders to admit no one unless an invitation is presented. Avoid embarrassment by having your card and "hers" ready upon entering.

### DETAILS OF CARNIVAL BALL FOR THURSDAY NIGHT OF THIS WEEK

No Affair, Planned, Has Ever Been Presented in Bay St. Louis—Beautiful Royal Function for the Season Open To Public.

Of its kind, no affair ever given in Bay St. Louis will equal the Carnival Ball and Royal Court in attendance, to be given this Thursday night, February 8, at St. Joseph Academy Auditorium. The spacious building, largest floor space of any building in Bay St. Louis, will be necessary to accommodate the crowds that are expected, according to sale of tickets, both in Bay St. Louis and Waveland. Pass Christian, too, let it be said to the credit of the sister city across the Bay, has fallen into the spirit of the affair and will be numerously represented.

This will be the first ball and court of the kind given in Bay St. Louis, originated and sponsored by the S. J. A. Parents' Association, planning to present a similar affair each and every year. The organization, composed of members and friends of the S. J. A. Parents Association is known as the Bay Carnival Organization.

Directed by an experienced Carnival Ball captain from New Orleans, every essential and general detail has been arranged for accordingly, and His Majesty, the King, and her Graciousness, the Queen, and their court of honor will be presented fittingly and on a scale becoming

the dignity and beauty of such occasion.

With fourteen maids and fourteen dukes and nine pages the court scene will fully and resplendently reflect the motif at hand. The King, it is said, will await his lovely and charming queen from the thorne seat on the stage. The King will be encircled on both sides of the throne by the dukes who will also await the coming of a like manner of maids singly, to be escorted by floor committeemen.

When the assembly of the court will have been accomplished, the grand and triumphal march will proceed—from the stage down various lanes up and down the ball room floor. The assembly of the court, however, will be presented by three numbers from the Schubert Music Club of Bay St. Louis, curtain rising promptly at 9 o'clock.

King Louis and Queen Marie will view the ball from the throne stand, the first four dances exclusively for dukes and maids. Following this, the general public will participate in the dance for the balance of the evening and until 1 A. M. Louis Carron's orchestra will discourse music for the occasion.

No one will wish to miss the affair. Admission only 50 cents, to be contributed to the debt fund of the academy gymnasium.

### GOVERNMENT TO DROP ALL LIQUOR CASES

Persons Charged With Violating Dry Law Before Repeal Cannot Be Tried.

The U. S. Supreme Court ruled Monday persons charged with violating the national prohibition law before its repeal cannot be tried for such offenses in the federal court. The case was brought by the United States as a test to determine its policy regarding the thousands of prohibition cases now pending in federal courts.

The government appealed from a decision by Federal Judge Hayes of the middle district of North Carolina directing the discharge of Byrum Gibson and Claude Chambers on the ground that prohibition repeal prevented further prosecution.

**Appeals Affected.**

The decision was handed down by Chief Justice Hughes. It covers not only persons indicted but will require, the court stated, dropping of further proceedings in federal cases where persons have been convicted but have taken appeals which now are pending.

All such defendants, those awaiting trial as well as those with their cases up on appeal, must be discharged, the court said.

Saying the 21st amendment had been ratified December 5, 1933, making the 18th amendment void, the court added that Congress and the courts could not give the prohibition law continued vitality.

Immediately following withdrawal of constitutional authority for prohibition, the court said the enforcement act (Volstead law) ended.

To hold that defendants indicted for violating the prohibition law were still subject to prosecution would be to rule they could not be punished after the law had been deprived of force, the opinion added.

### OPENING OF SHUSHAN AIRPORT AT NEW ORLEANS FEB. 9-13

Special Attractions to Entertain Visitors—Best Flyers Of World to Participate

(By Agathine H. Goldstein)

A foreign aviator whose death-defying antics have thrilled even the renowned Lindbergh. Another, from Hollywood, formerly Ann Harding's personal pilot, who gave the movie star instructions in flying. A delayed parachute jumper, who fails to open the chute until he has almost touched the earth. Several mystery ships—so mysterious that no advance information on their aerobatics can be ascertained until their appearance. The first combat flight of low-wing monoplane. Crazy flying. Stunt flying. Sky writing. Flying comedians. An international free-for-all racing contest.

This is just a small part of the program of the Pan-American Air Show to be held in New Orleans, February 9-13, coincidental with the dedication of the Shushan airport. Government, state and city officials, world-famous flyers, dignitaries and industrial personalities will participate in this colorful ceremony.

The new \$4,000,000 Airport will serve as the stage and the stadium for this intense and inspiring panorama of aviation. During the five days of the most spectacular and fastest races ever presented, there will be the various stunts which will reverberate to a thrill loving, sport and air-minded public in the grandstands of this international aviation classic. This glamorous spectacle of the sky, will serve as a lasting and constructive milestone.

The daily air race program has been so arranged as not to interfere with the Carnival parades, social fun and other spectacular pageantry of the Mardi Gras.

Particularly admired by Colonel Charles Lindbergh is Monsieur Michel DeTroyart, winner of the 1933 European Acrobatic Challenge Competition who, with his young bride, will arrive from Paris to participate in the flying maneuvers.

Clem Sohn, another flying notable, will accomplish the feat of the late "Spud" Manning, in the delayed parachute jump. Leaving his plane several thousand feet in the air, this sky pilot will whirl through space until he opens his chute approximately 300 feet above the earth.

Lee Miles, ex-pilot of Ann Harding, a Hollywood stunt flyer, recently set the world's light speed record at 209.11 miles per hour at Miami, Fla. He will be one of the many aces who

### PICAYUNE LOVING CUP IS AWARDED TO B. C. CASANAS, CIVIC WORKE

New Orleanian Well-Known On Mississippi Gulf Coast; His Work Outstanding

Ben C. Casanas, one of the leaders in organizing local relief for the unemployed was awarded the Times-Picayune loving cup for distinguished service in New Orleans during 1931 Sunday afternoon in the Hutchinson Memorial building on Canal street.

The award was made for civic work during many years and particularly for efforts in behalf of the unemployed during the year designated, the award committee announced. Mr. Casanas served as chairman of a business men's committee, appointed in December, 1930, to work out plans for unemployment relief. In January, 1931, the committee launched a drive to raise funds thru individual donations. These were later augmented by state and municipal grants. Registration of the unemployed followed.

The cup was presented by L. K. Nicholson, president of the Times-Picayune Publishing company, in the presence of a large audience in the auditorium of the building. The award committee, which selected Mr. Casanas unanimously, consisted of C. S. Williams, representing the Association of Commerce; Albert J. Wolf, representing the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, and W. D. Roussel, representative of the New Orleans Board of Trade.

Besides his work for the unemployed, Mr. Casanas, who is a coffee merchant, was general chairman of the Community Chest in 1924 and president in 1927. He has been associated with other Chest drives and with many other charitable enterprises.

The Times-Picayune loving cup award was established in 1902 by the Picayune, a predecessor of the present paper.

### WOMEN'S BENEFIT ASSOCIATION HELD REGULAR MEETING

Choose Maid for Carnival Ball—Members Urged To Attend Meetings

The regular meeting of the Women's Benefit Association was held February 1, 1934, at the Masonic Building.

Many subjects of interest were discussed, including the choosing of a maid for the Carnival Ball to be given at St. Joseph's auditorium, the maid being, Miss Alice Blaize, Miss Dutch Manier alternate. A Valentine party was also mentioned and will be held some time this month. Watch for the next issue of The Echo for date and place. Let's make it a big party. All members are invited to be present.

How about turning over a new leaf for the year and making it a point to be present at all meetings and socials. The W. B. A. needs each and every member to make a success of our order. All meetings will be held on the first Thursday of each month at the Masonic Bldg.

We wish to thank Mrs. Conner for her very delicious cake and Miss Engman for her chocolate. It was enjoyed by all present. Thanks and a very special thanks too. We also want to thank Mr. St. Amant for his kindness in refinishing our stations.

Those present at the meeting were as follows: Mrs. K. Conner, Miss M. Engman, Miss L. Engman, Miss V. Manier, Mrs. F. Landry, Mrs. Sam Piazza, Mrs. Irma Jefferies, Mrs. L. St. Amant, Mrs. H. Fayard, Mrs. J. Fancetti, Mrs. Odile Stevenson, Mrs. C. E. Craft, Miss D. Necaise, and Miss D. Landry.

### Concert By Municipal Band For Next Thursday

There will be a concert given next Thursday night, February 15, at the Central School Auditorium by the Municipal Band of Bay St. Louis.

The program will include several novelty numbers as well as trios and quartets. There will be no admission charge and the public is cordially invited and urged to attend.

will give thrills and chills to the stand watchers.

Major F. M. Harmon will bring with him to New Orleans for the air races a full flight of combat ships, including the first flight of low-wing monoplane.

Above are just a few of the air celebrities to attend the dedication of Shushan Airport. The following, besides numerous others, will also be on hand: Jimmy Wedell, Jimmy Doolittle, Art Chester, James Hailip, Mac Hailip, Frank Hawks, Ray Minor, S. J. Whitman, Gordon Israel, Jerry Westing and Roscoe Turner.

### RURAL SCHOOL PATRONS OF HANCOCK ASSEMBLE IN GENERAL MASS MEETING

Legislature and Congress to Be Memorialized in Quest of Remedy of Acute Financial Situation Now Existing.

### NEW CAR ON DISPLAY AT WEEKS

Famous '34 Model Chevrolet Now On Exhibition at Bay St. Louis Agency

The new 1934 Chevrolet with knee-action wheels, 80-horse-power "Blue Streak" engine, streamlined body and an imposing list of improvements and refinements is on display at the Week's Motor Sales, Main street, Bay St. Louis.

In the design and development of the new models, particular attention has been given to driver and passenger comfort.

The new Chevrolet is longer—it has a 112-inch wheelbase—roomier, more powerful, smoother and more quiet than its predecessor. The engine is placed several inches further forward in the chassis and seating has been rearranged.

The additional length is disposed so as to provide more space for the front seat occupants and considerably more room for the rear seat passengers.

Its appearance is further accentuated by the actual length increase plus the treatment of the car design itself.

Both front and rear seat passengers are insulated from road shocks by the introduction of independent front wheel suspension—known as "knee action" wheels—combined with improved rear spring suspension and a more balanced distribution of weight.

By independent front wheel suspension is meant the attachment of the front wheels directly to the frame without the use of a front axle. The car, by this system of suspension, has front and rear springs of equal tension and there is no tendency for the car to bounce and jolt along the road. The rear end of the car, in other words, is not harshly catapulted into the air whenever the front wheels encounter an irregularity of the road be it chuck hole or raised object. The front wheels, when they encounter such an irregularity, move up and down in a vertical position—they follow the irregularities of the road, so to speak.

In design, the front spring unit is neat, compact and efficient. The entire coil spring mechanism and shock absorbers are encased in a sturdy weathertight steel housing and the mechanism itself works in a bath of oil.

An instantaneous public response, greeted the announcement that hereafter Chevrolet dealers would quote only actual delivered costs instead of the conventional "f. o. b." prices on new cars and trucks. Mr. Weeks says under the new plan customers will know exactly what the car cost delivered in front of his door.

### Class Leaders For First Semester At Saint Stanislaus

Commercial Class: G. Heitzmann 89 per cent; M. Payment 88 per cent; A. Rauxet 81 per cent. Scientific Class: E. Fahey, 95 per cent; C. Henry, 94 per cent; A. Cunningham 93 per cent.

Junior Class: P. Stakelum 95 2-3 per cent; W. Price 95 1/2 per cent; U. Payard 93 per cent; H. Bopp, Billy Quinn, Billy App, P. Scheneckenberger, Jack Sandoz.

Freshman Class: C. J. Stockton, 96 per cent; Billy Moss 95 per cent; F. Payard 92 per cent.

Eighth Grade: David Glover 94 per cent. Seventh Grade: Lee Charles Grevenberg 97 per cent; Gilbert Whitworth 97 per cent.

James Ryan 95 per cent; Albert Schayot 95 per cent; James Currie 93 per cent; Robert Grevenberg, 92 per cent; Curtis Peranich 92 per cent.

Sixth Grade: Charles Wenar 96 per cent; Joseph Verges 95 per cent; Thomas Jacobs 93 per cent; Luke Elliott 91 per cent; Thomas White 91 per cent.

Fifth Grade: James Bryan 93 per cent; Anthony Piazza 91 per cent; William Johnson 90 per cent.

Fourth Grade: Otto Roemer 90 per cent.

Patrons of Hancock county rural schools, from all parts of the interior met at Bay St. Louis Saturday morning in mass meeting at Central School auditorium to discuss ways and means of meeting an appalling situation confronting the schools outside of the two separate school districts, which are Waveland and Bay St. Louis.

The meeting was largely attended and prominent speakers from over the county addressed the meeting. Supt. of Education Albert S. McQueen presiding. It was pointed out that under present conditions there would be no longer session than six months for any of the rural schools, and with so short a session there would not be sufficient time for students to accomplish a year's work and that it would be impossible to contract with better teachers for so short a period. No short-time contracts would be signed by teachers worth while. This was all due to the county's inability to collect sufficient taxes to meet financial requirement. It was further pointed out that this condition, (as bad as it is), would probably grow more acute rather than show an improvement. For this reason, it was pointed out, necessary steps for relief must be instituted and the time to do so was the present.

Subsequently, it was moved and adopted that both the Mississippi Legislature, now in session, and Congress as well, be memorialized asking that either State or federal relief be sought and granted. It was probable the legislature could and would do something in the premises in order that all counties in the State, facing such situation, might receive betterment.

Speeches explaining the financial situation and offering suggestions, as to the best method of procedure were made by A. S. McQueen, T. R. Hearn, S. J. Ingram, S. P. Powell, C. Shaw, C. Murphy, C. W. Fountain, V. A. Arendale and others who are interested in the welfare of the school children of Hancock county.

Enthusiasm and material interest was manifested during the meeting and it was evident that something would result from the action proposed. The cause of education is dear and paramount to all and no cause would receive a more ready response to the appeal.

### STANISLAUS AND KILN HI TO MEET TONIGHT IN FIRST BOUT 1934

Coach C. A. Breath, Jr., Has College Men in Fine Shape—To Begin At 8 P. M.

The Stanislaus mitt-men have been putting in some hard work this past week in preparation for the first meet of the year with Kiln High, which is to take place Friday night in the college gym. The first bout is scheduled for 8 P. M.

Coach "Junior" Breath has left no stone unturned to put his boys into perfect condition. Practice bouts have been curtailed this week owing to the nearness of the meet. Last week everyone had his three or four rounds of practice. These practice bouts have been as interesting as "main attractions."

This makes the third year Charley Breath, Jr., has been coaching the Rockchaw boxers. Each year he has turned out a fine team. This year he does not have the material that led the Stanislaus card last spring, but he does have the old time pep and scrappiness which every team has had.

Little is known of the Kiln team of this year. "Big Boy" Peterson's brother still tops the list as Kiln contenders with Manuel Garriga another good scrapper second on the list. No other games have come to us at this time.

For Stanislaus, Jimmy Filkins, Frank Bonura, Jimmy Hammond, Manuel Harless, Henry Villa, Butress Moustier, Jesse, and several others are in line for Friday night's setto with Kiln.

### LAWYERS OBJECT TO CHANGING DISTRICTS.

More than one hundred attorneys of the twelfth judicial district, comprising Forest, Perry and Jones counties, attended a banquet at Hattiesburg Monday night in honor of John Marshall, "father of the constitution."

Resolutions were unanimously adopted protesting reduction of judicial districts to 15 from 21.



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## WAVELAND'S PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY

NEWS received Saturday to the effect Waveland's PWA project, wherein forty-nine thousand dollars, will be expended in street paving will go a far way to restoring confidence and prosperity and of solidifying the future of the Bay's twin sister.

Waveland has made remarkable strides the past couple of years and even though the depression has struck the country with cyclonic force and effect, the little town with the big W has constantly progressed and forged ahead. Its Board of Mayor and Aldermen are conservative and progressive, a good combination to conjure with, its merchants show unusual enterprise and the business community keeps expanding gradually and surely.

Realty values in Waveland are bound to enhance and we may expect for the immediate future a brisk demand. To own a summer home in Waveland is the cherished hope if not the already accomplished fact of many New Orleansians. Residents of the big city not only are fond of the Gulf Coast generally but in particular have a predilection for the Bay-Waveland district and adjacent territory, which includes Clermont Harbor. This section is essentially a suburb to New Orleans. Its proximity and many advantages of health and climate, beauty and lavishness of nature's charms, lure many. They love to visit and linger. It is the place to live, to spend a season, or even a week-end. The Mississippi Gulf Coast is the Land of the Heart's Desire.

## HUMAN LIFE IS CHEAP.

SINCE the beginning of history, human life has been held more cheaply than anything else in the world. It is so held today.

A large percentage of the human race has always met death through the criminality, ignorance or carelessness of fellow men.

Could the minds of all men be directed to the preservation of human life, what a difference it would make! No more wars, no more murders, no more preventable deaths through automobile accidents, no more lives lost in fires started through carelessness—how changed would be the front pages of our daily newspapers.

To mention only three causes of violent death, the best authorities estimate that in the United States each year 10,000 are murdered, 25,000 are killed in automobile accidents and 15,000 are burned to death.

The total number of persons killed in accidents now reaches more than 75,000 a year.

While giving our attention to a multitude of other reforms and isms, would it not be well to devote more serious thought and action towards reducing this appalling and unnecessary waste of human life.

## WHY PICK ON THE DOG?

A BILL has been introduced in the Mississippi legislature to tax the dog—man's best and noblest friend when we consider the animal. Every few years some fellow bobs up with a like bill, to put a premium on the life of a dog, to rob some home where children romp and play with a dog worth nothing to someone else yet means so much to them, a faithful, trusty animal that is a playmate too. The boy whose boon companion is his dog. And the other who watches both the children and home, a true watch dog. How can we separate our every day life from the dog?

Mississippi has taxed everything thinkable. It seems now that the lowly and humble dog has escaped. And they are trying to get 'em. We hope the dog's friend will again be present when the bill comes up for consideration and that the fellow who would annihilate the dog by taxation will be made to feel ashamed. Why pick on the dog?

## TIMELY AND WISE SUGGESTION.

W. P. BOND, state superintendent of education says that, "in some counties there are past due obligations to teachers, truck drivers, oil companies, etc., for services rendered during the last two or three years."

"From now on school budgets should be so arranged that some of these obligations can be taken care of every year until they are all paid. I trust that all county and state authorities may work together toward that end."

Americans who have their own ideas of high taxes might get information from Englishmen.

Japan wants a bigger navy—we suppose to maintain the peace in the Far East where it is "menaced" by a few gunboats and practically no Russian fleet.

France objects to American inflation but had no objections to her own procedure some years ago when the franc was dropped to less than one-third of its pre war value.

Now that the President has hinted that the Civil Works program will be closed down in a few months there are loud lamentations. Did anybody expect it to be a permanent proposition?

## THE LIQUOR PROBLEM.

WITH the repeal of the National Prohibition Amendment legal whisky and alcoholic drinks became possible in a number of states. However, changing the law has not solved the problems.

Advocates of repeal expected the availability of a regular supply of liquor to put the bootlegger out of business. On the other hand, at the present time, there is a rather stiff battle going on between the sellers of legalized liquor and illegal beverages.

One of the troubles was the fact that when prohibition ended there were only 6,000,000 gallons of old whisky available. The greater part of this supply was diluted in the blending processes which made many times as many gallons, inasmuch as the new whisky contained only about five per cent and aged whisky. The bootlegger product was more acceptable to the drinking public.

In an effort to make liquor more popular Congress fixed the tax at \$2.00 a gallon rather than the \$2.60 recommended by President Roosevelt's committee. Recently steps have been taken to admit a much larger foreign supply of whisky to be imported in the United States but even these supplies are not sufficient to furnish the estimated 100,000,000 gallons needed.

The Administration has used the liquor problem as a lever to open up markets for other American products. To open the way for the sale of about 600,000 gallons of Scotch whisky, for example, Great Britain, agreed to an increase of the percentage of American pork which might enter her islands. France, to secure sales for her liquors and wines, has agreed to use more American apples and pears. So, indirectly, the American thirst is being used as a bargain power to sell more American products abroad.

The bootlegging industry is not expected to withdraw from the market without a death struggle. Some estimate that 60,000,000 gallons of moonshine liquor are now ready to be sold and unless the government arranges it so that legal liquor of better quality can be sold at lower prices the bootleggers may still continue their illicit traffic.

## B. C. CASANAS.

FITTINGLY and justly bestowed has the Times-Picayune annual award of a loving cup to the citizen of New Orleans, who, during the year, has performed the greatest amount of good to the public, been given to that outstanding civic leader, Ben C. Casanas, whose work for the community in which he lives has not only covered the period of the year ended, but dates back for many years. No city has had such leader and doer, one who did so from unselfish aim, free from sordid purposes, but just a good, solid citizen who has worked and accomplished immeasurable results.

New Orleans has every reason to feel proud of this son of that city. And we, who live in the Bay St. Louis-Waveland section, not only offer congratulations both to "Ben" Casanas, as he is affectionately called by all who know him, and to the Times-Picayune, donor of the cup, for its wise selection, too, wish to join in congratulation and happy felicitations, for Mr. Casanas is not only well-known here, but owns a summer home on the Beach Boulevard and Nicholson avenue and in season is, in reality, a resident of this section.

The presentation of such tribute as a loving cup and its significance must necessarily go to one who is one hundred percent worthy. To do otherwise the cup would mean nothing aside from its intrinsic value of so many ounces of silver. And in awarding this trophy to B. C. Casanas we are one of the majority who feel gratified that such worthy selection and presentation was made.

## YES—BUILD NOW!

HOW would this proposition strike you? You are given a chance to purchase something you need—something that will be of permanent and increasing value to you and your family—for a fraction of what it will cost within a year or so. And, at the same time, by buying it you will be expediting recovery, putting men to work at good wages in a hundred industries, and stimulating businesses of all kinds in your town.

That's certainly an attractive proposition—and it's not fictional. The investment is construction. Individual home building and repairing is one of the most important factors in the recovery program. And so far, the construction industry has shown less pickup than any business of comparable size.

During the present winter it will be possible to build well and build cheaply. You can obtain a house for a few thousand dollars that would cost twice the price four years ago—and probably will again four years hence. The same thing is true of repairs of all kinds—from those rickety steps you've been vaguely meaning to have fixed for months, to that roof which has suddenly developed a leak. And here is something to think about—one-third of the people on relief rolls in the larger cities are normally engaged or supported by the construction industry. Starting home-building on a national scale is all that will bring back their jobs.

Yes—Build now! You'll never regret it. Get that bargain in homes that is being offered you—and have the satisfaction of knowing that you're doing your part to prevent privation and want during the coming year.

## TRAFFIC MURDERS.

NEARLY 30,000 lives were lost in 1933 as a result of automobile accidents.

Some of these were unavoidable but the greater majority of the fatalities could have been avoided had the motorists involved exercised proper safety and care in the operation of their vehicles.

While the deaths were accidental, some of them were the result of such carelessness as to justify the charge of murder against the operators of the cars. Increased effort to reduce the number of automobile accidents will be undertaken and an effort will be made to secure the adoption of uniform traffic laws and operating rules throughout the nation.

## MERELY THEORETICAL

By GEORGE E. SCHILLING

### CHLOROFORM OR WHAT?

THE great Dr. Osler, some years ago, suggested that men should be chloroformed when they reach the age of forty-five, and his remark excited comment all over the country. One brilliant newspaperman noted that the distinguished physician, famous in both continents, was himself past the dead line in years, and concluded that, since his death would obviously be a loss to the world, the question was thereby settled.

Nobody expects to kill off those citizens who are still useful at any arbitrary age limit, or even those fortunate people who enjoy incomes sufficient for their own comfortable support. Unfortunately these individuals a very small minority of our old folks. A certain life insurance company used to advertise the figures on the number of dependents at age 65. We have forgotten the exact percentage, but it was considerably over ninety. Some of these old folks are helping to solve the problem by committing suicide. The number of these is positively rather large, but, relatively to the many millions who have passed the dead line, it is small. We can hardly expect any general relief from this remedy.

The man, or woman, over the age limit is usually a burden upon younger relatives, more or less patiently borne. Other expedients care for a small percentage. Some of the unfortunate are taken care of in county poor houses, which are usually so very unpleasant that people will do almost anything to avoid going to them.

Labor of all kinds, under our industrial system, is a commodity to be bought in the cheapest market and sold in the dearest. The employer has no responsibility for his employees except while they are useful to him. If there are exceptions of any kind they are merely indications that human nature is better and more kindly than the system under which it has been trying to operate. In many cases pension systems themselves are a handicap (as in the civil service of the United States) because they prevent any employment at all except for the young.

The medical profession, instead of helping out, is adding to the difficulty by prolonging the average span of life, and the present decline in the birth rate is further adding to the average age of our population. The one lucky break we are getting is that medical science has been far more effective in saving the lives of babies than of their grandparents. Otherwise we would be worse cluttered up with old folks than we are now.

When cats and dogs are old, useless and friendless the S. P. C. A. kills them off as painlessly as possible in order to save them suffering. We seem to be less charitable to our own kind, for there is no Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Old People. However, in spite of Dr. Osler's authority, there would be objections to using chloroform on several millions of old and useless humans. It would certainly excite much criticism both here and in foreign countries.

Another objection to this plan is that it would reduce the market for surplus farm produce, and this seems to be one of our major problems at present. Most of our old folks are out of the market for industrial products, but they generally manage, one way or another, to get something to eat, even if not very much. Even a little bit when multiplied by something like twenty million amounts to quite something.

Continuing to neglect our elders is also embarrassing at times. The papers have recently been talking about the old fellow who was arrested while he was starving to death on the street.

The old villain died before the judge could get him to jail, where they might have given him something to eat. Such cases are bound to crop up all the time, and the newspapers play them up because they have human interest. Indeed they are often dramatic, in a tragic sort of way which fulfills the old Greek ideal of inspiring pity and terror.

Some states already have old age pension laws. A bill has been introduced in Congress to allow thirty dollars a month to every person above sixty years of age. The problem is receiving attention.

Can it be done? The answer is in the paradox which this column has been discussing to the point of monotony. We are not suffering from any shortage. We have more food than we can eat, more clothes than we can wear, more buildings than we can use, and our business men are going bankrupt for lack of customers. The trick is not to produce enough to provide for our superfluous, but to find an intelligent method of distributing what we already have and do not know how to use.

This is not an argument for increasing present taxes. That burden is already so great that it is unendurable for great numbers. How we shall manage it is a complex problem to be worked out with the best brains we have in the country. The principle of the solution may turn out to be something like that of the old law of Moses, that is a kind of production tax. Since we can produce so much more than we can distribute or consume, such a scheme might work without hardship to anybody. The solution will certainly be much more difficult than merely making a speech, or writing a column in a newspaper.

## WITH THE PRESS.

PAINFULLY TRUE.

(Shidell (La.) News)

THE following quoted from the Sea Coast Echo is painfully short, yet disastrously true: "Subscribers to The Sea Coast Echo are urged to keep their subscriptions paid in advance. We can print a newspaper with popular support, but it takes money to keep our workmen contented."

The editor of The Echo has struck a responsive note in the heart of every editor whose desire is to give his readers a good paper, because it is true.

Every city and town needs a newspaper, in fact they must have a local journal. Every citizen wants a home paper that they need not apologize for; a paper that is representative of the progress of the town.

Yet, the average citizen is content to let the editor do all the worrying and wear the soles of his shoes endeavoring to collect trivial sums due him.

The people should realize that they are obligated to their city, their neighbors and themselves to give every aid in maintaining the best possible paper in their community, otherwise they are sorely lacking in their civic duty and doing the community an injustice.

## ADVERTISING DID IT.

(Winona Times)

IT would be a silly waste of words to "argue" that advertising pays. That is well known and so generally acknowledged that it would be like contending that ice is cold. Advertising has wrought wonders in this old world of ours and will continue to do so in the future. Some one summing up some of the things that advertising has done calls attention to the following:

Advertising has made the Victrola dog famous. It has made the cash register a big brother to retailers all over the world.

It has introduced the world to a substitute for sole leather. It is displacing the truck horse with 40-horse power trucks. It has helped you to an appreciation of Stetson hats, Walk-Over Douglas and Emerson shoes.

It has made the handwritten letter an oddity in business. It has put Castoria down your throat, left bristles in your gums, and then came along with a rubber set and took them out.

It has put a Gillette against your haystack. It has put Murine in your eyes, sold you Cuticura for pimples, Pears for the bath and Ivory for the tub. It has jammed your feet into Holeproof socks, put Paris garters on your legs and Tiffany rings on your fingers.

It has stuck Robert Burns cigars between your teeth, worn out your jaws on Wrigley's and posted you on what to buy to cure corns, warts, bunions and ingrowing toe nails.

It has eased your pain with Bayer Aspirin and given you Syrup of Pepsin to remove the ailment. Go anywhere you want to, do anything you wish and advertising has had a hand in it—absolutely.

And some people ask: "Does advertising pay?"

According to a national magazine survey, the following people rated highest in the newspaper columns in 1933. President Roosevelt, Mussolini, General Hugh Johnson, Mae West, Senator Huey P. Long, G. B. Shaw, Einstein, Marie Dressler, Primo Carnera, ex-president Machado, Raymond Moley and Wiley Post.

## HOW ONE WOMAN LOST 20 POUNDS OF FAT

Lost Her Prominent Hips, Double Chin, Sluggishness.

## GAINED PHYSICAL VIGOR—A SHAPELY FIGURE

If you're fat—first remove the cause.

Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALT in a glass of hot water every morning—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—you feel younger in body—KRUSCHEN will give any fat person a joyous surprise. Get an 85c bottle of KRUSCHEN SALT from any leading druggist anywhere in America (lasts four weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—your money gladly returned.

## for BILIOUSNESS Sour stomach gas and headache due to CONSTIPATION

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Bay St. Louis, Miss.

## Deposits In This Bank Insured and Guaranteed By United States Insurance and Deposit Corporation

### ALLOWANCES OF CITY COMMISSIONERS, BAY ST. LOUIS

The following bills were allowed, approved and ordered paid by the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Bay St. Louis.

### FEBRUARY MEETING

#### CITY FUND PAY ROLL

G. Y. Blaize, Mayor's salary	\$200.00
W. L. Bourgeois, Com. salary	200.00
Lucien M. Gex, City Atty. sal.	90.00
William Hobbs, Chief of police salary	75.00
Mark Oliver, Night Police sal.	60.00
Victor Favre, Day Police salary	60.00
Frank Dillman, Fireman's sal.	60.00
Marcel Telhard, Fireman's sal.	60.00
Joseph Seafide, Fireman's sal.	60.00
Oscar Lafontaine, cemetery keeper's salary	27.50
L. C. Carver, Janitors salary	60.00
Albert Favre, Street foreman's salary	95.00
Evel Banderet, labor	50.00
Rene Bermond, labor	50.00
Alfred Arnold, labor	50.00
Peter Sick, labor	50.00
Thos. Quintini, labor	50.00
George Johnston, labor	50.00
Gus Temple, Church clock keeper's salary	10.00
King's Daughters, Monthly Donation	25.00
Chamber of Commerce, monthly donation	21.00
St. Margaret's Daughters, Monthly donation	20.00
Municipal Band, Monthly donation	50.00
Peter Sick, Extra day labor	2.50

### BILLS PAYABLE

Aetna Life Ins. Co.	30.90
Employees Ins. Prem.	8.05
Dominick Chora, shells	22.18
Southern Bell T. & T. Co., Telephone service	4.20
George Rudolph, shells	9.80
Red Star Fish Market, shells	14.00
Sanitary Fish Market, shells	11.25
Selig Company, Atlanta, Drinking cups, mdse.	1.28
Beach Drug Store, mdse.	.62
Beach Drug Store, Medical Supplies	131.43
Eureka Fire Hose Co., Fire Hose and couplings	45.00
E. S. Drake, Surveying	2.00
Joe Blaize, Election Clerk	2.00
Bill Waddy, Election Clerk	2.00
Frank Gutierrez, Election Bailiff	2.00
R. N. Blaize, Election mgr.	6.00
Wilbur Driver, Election mgr.	6.00
A. E. Thierry, Election mgr.	6.00
Bay Coal Yard, coal	29.50
W. L. Bourgeois, Expenses	1.37
Hancock County Ins. Agcy., Insurance Pub. Official Bds.	35.00
Radio & Electric Service, Light bulbs	1.50
A. A. Seafide, Notarial Fees	1.00
Merchants Ins. Agcy., Public Official Bonds	83.50
Bay Merc. Co., mdse.	7.35
Sea Coast Echo, Publishing & Printing	95.00
Arceneaux Super Service Sta., Gas and oil	80.51

### SINKING BOND FUND

Sea Coast Echo, Printing Refunding Bonds	37.50
Merchants Bank & Trust Co., Exchange, Reg. & Ins. Ref. Bonds	1.82

### SCHOOL FUND PAY ROLL

Teachers Salaries:	
S. J. Ingram, Supt. salary	200.00
Milton A. Phillips	125.00
La Verne Caperton	110.00
Marie Louise Renaud	110.00
Essie Givens	115.00
Rachel Tarver	107.00
Gertrude Perkins	105.00
Lois Quinn, teachers salary	90.00
Oleah Mauffray	105.00
Julia Blaize	105.00
Carmelite Spotorno, teach. sal.	90.00
Louvenia Saucier, teach. sal.	90.00
Mrs. E. E. Ashcraft	80.00
Thelma Eaton	85.00
Virginia Chapman	85.00
Mrs. Carl Smith	50.00
Mrs. F. A. Wright	90.00
Loretta Smith	75.00
Mrs. W. W. Stockstill	90.00
J. Pollard	95.00
M. L. Brown	50.00
B. T. Laneaux	50.00
C. A. Barabino	55.00
Ethel Holmes	50.00
Helen Edwards	22.50
Margaret Lopez Trelles, (Night School)	25.00
S. J. Ingram (night school)	24.00
Milton Phillips (night school)	10.00
Flora Caperton, Janitress at Central School	60.00
Mrs. W. C. Sick, Janitress sal.	10.00

Alfred Carve	15.00
John Bell, Jr.	10.00
James Tocani, W.	67.50
Fireman's salary	25.00
St. Stanislaus College, lights Gym—5 weeks	25.00
Joe Taconi, labor	1.00

### BILLS PAYABLE

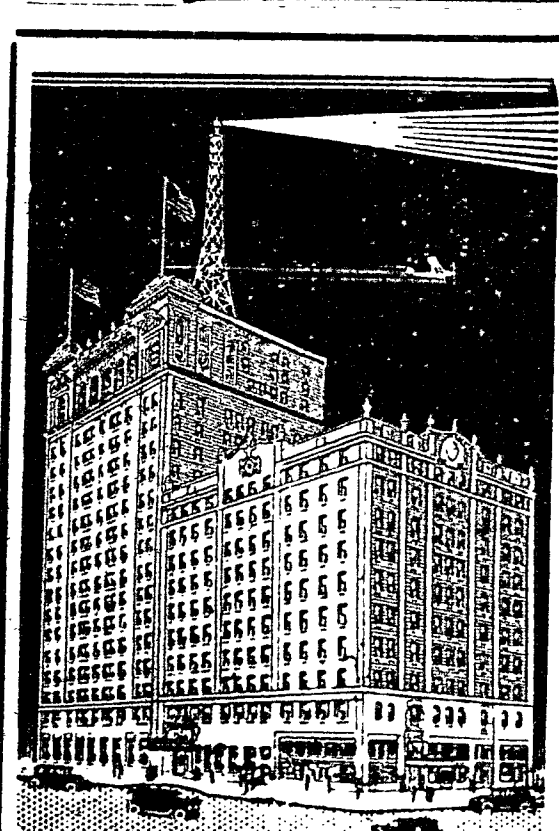
Bay Coal Yard, coal for all schools	75.00
Hamilton Bros. Gulfport, mdse.	3.50
Southern Bell T. & T. Co., Telephone service	5.00
Bay Merc. Co., mdse.	9.90
W. M. Welch, mdse.	9.90
Lowe & Campbell, Athletic Equipment	45.29
P. J. Benoit, labor (Jones school)	3.50
Boudin Brothers, Labor and material	57.94
W. A. Schreck, Labor and Material	4.65
Gaylord Bros., mdse.	6.13
Underwood Elliott Co., mdse.	.60
Southern Seating & Supply Co., mdse.	19.24
A. L. Kramer Co., mdse.	24.37
Central Scientific Co., mdse.	30.99
C. C. McDonald, mdse.	2.62

### WATER WORKS FUND

Southern Bell T. & T. Co., Telephone service	4.50
Bay Merc. Co., mdse.	2.25
Dixie Mill Supply Co., mdse.	22.21
Albert Monti, Foreman salary	100.00
Joseph Taconi, labor	35.00

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
To Corine Williams and Lillie Harriel  
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 18th day of March, 1934, at the Chancery's office at Gulfport, Mississippi, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any they can, why the final account of Mrs. Edwina Cuevas, Executrix of the Estate of Donatien Cuevas, Deceased, should not be approved and Executrix discharged.  
This 11th day of January, A. D. 1934.  
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.



## The Jung Hotel

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700 Rooms 700 Baths, 700 Servitors.  
700 Ice Water Faucets, 700 Electric Ceiling Fans.

The only Hotel in New Orleans that has all of these conveniences in every room, without exception. Largest Free Parking Grounds in the South.

Single Rates as Low As \$2.50 Per Day.  
"You can live better at the Jung for



## WHAT'S DOING AT JACKSON WITH THE STATE LEGISLATURE

Lt. Governor Murphree Writes Special News Letter to The Sea Coast Echo Telling of Matters of Particular Interest to Mississippians.

(For The Sea Coast Echo)

**THE SENATE** passed the sales tax by a vote of 30 to 15, after the amendment which gave the merchants and others who collect the tax an exemption of the first \$1200 worth of business during the year. In other words no tax is to be paid the state on \$100 worth of business each month. Another amendment put in to the Senate bill by Senator Dan McGehee was that one which made the tax only for the next two years and not a permanent and fixed policy of the State.

### Homestead Exemptions

I said in my letter last week that there would be some relief to property owners from ad valorem taxes before the sales tax was finally adopted. Supporting this prophecy of mine, the House this week has passed a bill exempting from state ad valorem taxes property in the amount of 49 acres of land assessed at not more than \$1000 or property in town assessed at not more than \$1000. This is a move in the right direction, and I believe that the Senate will adopt it. This certainly should be an answer to those who say that we cannot have any tax relief unless we have a Constitutional Convention. It is my hope that we will see the provisions on this bill extended ultimately to cover all ad valorem taxes on this same amount.

### "Hard Liquor" Bill

The "Hard Liquor" bill introduced by Senator Mcintosh was debated for two days in the Senate but finally defeated by a vote of 19 to 28. It is held on a motion to reconsider, however, and some members say that it will be finally passed. People will probably be interested in what this bill proposes to do. The bill proposes to leave to the people of the State in an election to be held later to decide whether or not liquor shall be sold in the State. If the people vote in favor of legalizing the sale of liquor, then the sheriff of the county is named in the bill as the person who shall sell the packages of liquor just like he does automobile tags at present. The bill provides who can be allowed to buy it, and that it shall be put up in unbroken packages correctly marked, etc. Senator Roberts argues that we always have had liquor and always will and that it is best to legalize the sale of it this way and collect, he says, a million and a half dollars revenue on it.

### To Resurrect Beer Bill

The beer bill was the subject of some fiery comment on the Senate floor Thursday when Senator Waddell charged that it had been held longer than the rule allowed and there was no report on the bill. Replying, Senator McIntosh, Chairman of the Committee, said that his Committee were working on the bill seeking to perfect it before they brought it out, though he personally was opposed to the bill. Senator McIntosh added that he believed the committee would bring out the beer bill for consideration sometime next week.

### Governor Opposed to Land Bill

Senator Allen, who is chairman of the Public Lands Committee and who has in charge the bill which seeks to allow former owners and others to purchase their lands and homes lost to the state by taxation, has returned to the Senate after absence on account of serious illness. He is much improved and tells me that his committee will probably report the Land Bill in the Senate Monday and seek to consider it on Wednesday. I believe that the Senate will pass this bill without much opposition and I further believe the House will pass it. I am afraid, however, the Governor will refuse to sign it because he declared in his message that he was opposed to the idea.

### Proposition State Take Our Roads and Schools

The Whittington resolution seeking to commit the Legislature to a new and different plan of state and county government at least to some extent was debated before the entire Senate all the session Friday and

finally reported favorably. It will probably be passed by the Senate and go to the House. Briefly, it pledges the membership of the Legislature to consider and adopt measures which will in Senator Whittington's opinion cause a material reduction in taxation on property. Some of its provisions are that the state take over eighty percent of all the county roads and maintain them. That the state take over and refinance all county bond issues and also for the state to take over entire operation of the schools.

### As To Supervisors

Senator Winter made a great fight this week to have passed his bill which provides that the supervisors of the counties be elected by the people of the whole county instead of by beats. He was defeated however, but has moved to reconsider. The idea in his bill is to have the member live in his own beat but be elected by the vote of the whole county.

### State to Borrow Millions

There was introduced into the House Friday a bill carrying the names of forty-five representatives legalizing the application to borrow the ten million dollars from the Federal Government to build additional highways in Mississippi. It will be remembered that last fall there was much comment about over the state about this matter and an effort was made to get the Governor to call a special session to do it, but the Governor declined to agree to the proposal to borrow this money. The plan is to borrow seven and a half million at 4 per cent interest thru the PWA and pay it back with one cent of the state gasoline tax. The Federal Government will donate the other two and a half million free.

### Constitutional Convention Bill Killed

The Constitutional Convention fight still goes merrily on. I was mistaken in guessing that 80 members of the House would vote on the proposition of leaving it up to the people as to whether or not we would have a Constitutional Convention. Only 72 of them voted to do this. Mr. Sillers offered an amendment in the House which would have changed the bill passed by the Senate so that the people would not be allowed to vote as to whether or not we have a Convention. His amendment was voted down by a vote of 72 to 67. Then on the final passage of the bill all those members who are supporting the Governor's Convention ideas voted "No" and they were joined by several other members who are unalterably opposed to any kind of a Convention bill and the result was that the Senate bill was killed by a vote of 73 to 67. The bill will come up again on a motion to reconsider next Wednesday and the fight will be held all over again.

### Convention Costly

Representative Caver of Prentiss county threw a bomb into the Legislature Friday when he introduced a bill levying a two mill tax on all the property of the state to pay the expenses of a Constitutional Convention. He claims that it will cost a million and a half dollars to hold the elections, elect delegates, pay their salaries, expenses and the expenses of the Convention, then pay for printing the new Constitution in the newspapers at legal rates, and finally for holding a special session of the Legislature to write all the new laws and the new code made necessary by the new Constitution.

### A Laxative that costs only 1¢ or less a dose

NEXT TIME you need medicine to act on the bowels, try **THEODORE'S BLACK-DRAUGHT**. It brings quick relief and is priced within reach of all. **Black-Draught** is one of the least expensive laxatives that you can find. A 25-cent package contains 25 or more doses. Refreshing relief from constipation troubles for only a cent or less a dose—that's why thousands of men and women prefer **Theodore's Black-Draught**.

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## WAVELAND NEWS-NOTES

MISS DOROTHY WELLS Box 185 Waveland, Miss.

**IN BEHALF** of the third and fourth grades of Waveland School, I wish to express our sorrow, caused by the death of a former 4th grade pupil, Hazel Lind, who suddenly passed away, at her home, last Sunday. I also wish to extend the sympathy of all the third and fourth grade pupils, Hazel's former classmates. To her mother, Mrs. Emile Lind; to her sisters, Bonnie and Helma; and to her brother, Forrest. We all shall miss her.

**DOROTHY WELLS,** Third and Fourth Grade Teacher.

The Honor Roll for the past month at Waveland School is as follows:

Primer—John Mirambell, Marjorie Goelzenleuchter, Anna Mae Bourgeois.

First Grade—Catherine Ladner, Ray Marrero, Delta Powell.

Second Grade—Charles Carver, Bonnie Mae Powell, Hallena Lind, Ruth Villere, Paul Favard, Jr., Louis Marrero, Myrtle Mae Ladner.

Third Grade—Rosemary Holder, Morris Bourgeois, Virginia Lee Powell, Mary Margaret Turcotte, Estelle Bourgeois.

Fourth Grade—Lucien Marrero, Esther Yarbrough, Edward Carrio, R. J. Ladner.

Fifth Grade—Yvonne Henley, Horace Nozelle.

Sixth Grade—Alvin Ladner, Henry Ladner.

Seventh Grade—Alvin Marrero, Betty Carrio, Marie Hava, Ella Favre, Vernell Bourgeois, Evelyn Turcotte, Alena Bourgeois.

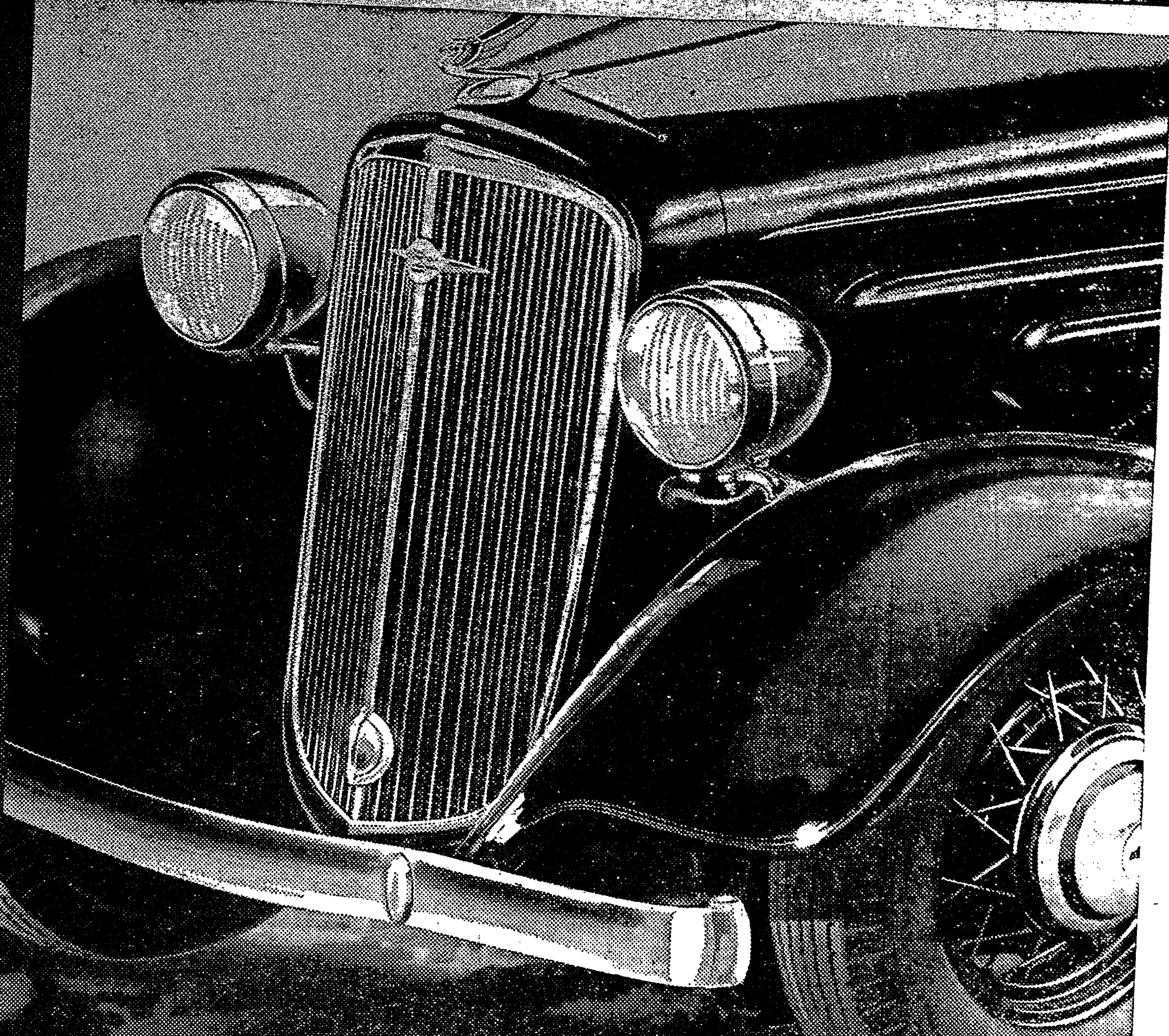
Eighth Grade—Ralph Bourgeois, Marcel Bourgeois, Milton Favre, Bradley Mazarakis, Melvin Villere, Dolores Bourgeois.

On Saturday night, February 3, the Waveland P. T. A. gave a benefit "Tacky Party" at the Town Hall. A large crowd attended, many wearing "tacky" costumes. The prize for the tackiest costume was won by Mrs. P. H. Kammer. The prize for the children, was won by Eleanor Bourgeois. The P. T. A. members wish to thank all those who helped to make this party a success.

Miss Virginia Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carver, spent the day in Waveland, Sunday. She reported that her mother, who has been suffering from a paralytic stroke, is now at the Mercy Hospital in New Orleans, and is improving rapidly.

Friends of Mrs. O. M. Villere were very sorry to learn of her illness, but hope that she will have a speedy recovery. The Waveland basketball teams were victorious over the Bay H. junior teams in two exciting games, last Friday afternoon. The final score for the girls' game was 15-10; while that of the boys' game was 17 to 15.

Miss Smart—It takes all kinds of people to make a world, you know. Miss Snob—That may be—but I'm glad I'm not one of them.



Knee-Action Wheels  
Longer wheelbase  
Bigger Fisher Bodies (4 inches more room)  
Blue Streak Engine  
80 horsepower  
80 miles an hour  
Faster acceleration  
12% greater economy at touring speeds  
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*So radically different in the way it runs, rides and responds we say*

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# Now on display CHEVROLET FOR 1934

**CHEVROLET** It's here now, for the first time: the car that all America has been standing by to see and drive—Chevrolet for 1934! And if you aren't among the first to attend the gala introductory showing, you're going to miss one of the biggest, most exciting events of the whole motor car year. There never has been a new Chevrolet model with so many basic and sweeping advances as this one. Its difference—totally unlike anything you've seen or anything you will see in motor cars for 1934!

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Prices Delivered in Bay St. Louis

ROADSTER .....\$669.83

COUPE .....\$690.49

COACH .....\$711.19

SEDAN .....\$773.15

TOWN SEDAN .....\$742.15

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Prices include spare wheel, Tire, Tube, Tire Lock and Front and Rear Bumpers installed at Factory.

**Weeks Motor Sales**

Opposite Postoffice Bay St. Louis, Miss.

## STATE WORLD FAIR DISPLAY ECHOES IN FOREIGN NATIONS

Queries Received From 15 Countries; Latest Letter Comes From India

Echoes of Mississippi's participation in the Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago came from a fifteenth foreign country when the state department of agriculture reported receipt of a communication from a financier of Calcutta, India, whose interest was stirred by the display.

Commissioner J. C. Holton, member of the state fair commission said that special request for literature and information had come from Italy, Germany, Scotland, Nova Scotia, Sweden, Canada, Japan, France Denmark, Mexico, Cuba, Ireland, Czechoslovakia and China in addition to all American possessions.

The Calcutta letter, from P. H. Michael, said: "I am eagerly looking forward to the booklets and brochures picturing and narrating the story of Mississippi and her resources, traditions and achievements. I assure you that these will be of special interest to me and which I shall preserve in remembrance of Mississippi's participation and its people's contribution in talents, labor and skill in the scientific development of Mississippi's resources on its onward march to progress and prosperity."—Jackson Daily News.

## CLERMONT HARBOR

**THE** monthly meeting of the P. T. A. was held Monday afternoon at the school house. An appropriate program was given by the pupils under the supervision of Mrs. McQueen, the teacher. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. A. S. McQueen and Mrs. H. T. Carr as joint hostesses served refreshments.

Honor Roll for past month: First grade—Herman Johnson, Ruth Ferrill, Gloria Carr. Fourth grade—Francis Carr. Fifth grade—Ethel Ferrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Murphy, of New Orleans, entertained a party of young people last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Walsdorf, of Waveland, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Danenberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Simpson, of New Orleans, have been at their home here for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Byrnes, of New Orleans, entertained a party of friends at their home on Third and Forest streets over the week-end.



**.....Announcement.....**  
**The Bay Fish & Oyster Co.**  
 is now open for business at its new location, with a  
**FULL LINE OF QUALITY FISH, SHRIMP,  
 CRABS AND OYSTERS.**  
 (On Beach, Head of Main Street)  
 Phone 123 Bay St. Louis, Miss.

## The Sea Coast Echo

### City Echoes

—Mrs. Neva Goetz of New Orleans was a recent visitor of Mrs. Carrie Nolan.

—Miss Johnnie Evans of New Orleans was the week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans.

—Mr. John D. Grace and Miss Virginia Grace of New Orleans are spending a few days at their summer villa on Waveland beach.

—BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hoda, of Kiln, a son, January 21, 1934. This is the first son. There are seven daughters in the family.

—Mrs. C. J. Chadwick and son, Mr. Edward Fuch, will spend the week end and remain until after the Carnival at New Orleans. They will also visit relatives and friends.

—Mrs. (Dr.) C. M. Shipp recently returned from a five-week stay at Water Valley, Miss., where she visited relatives. The many local friends are glad to note her return.

—Very Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch, of Our Lady of the Gulf Church and Rev. Wm. J. Leach of St. Paul's, Pass Christian are spending a while at Brown's Wells, Miss.

—Mrs. John W. Bryan and two sons and Mrs. H. P. Burbank and two sons will spend the Mardi Gras season in New Orleans, in which city they are well and prominently known.

—Miss June Elliott has gone down to New Orleans for the week-end and will remain in the Carnival City until after the festivities, visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson.

—Mrs. Carrie Nolan made a business trip to Jackson the past week-end accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Hogan and Mr. Victor Miggell. They also visited Mrs. Nolan's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Clark at Pelatich, Miss.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Rityak came out from New Orleans during the week, looking after the interest of their summer home on Waveland beach and visiting the tax-collector's office at the courthouse, along with the many there February 1.

—Mr. Joseph R. Schaff returned from New Orleans Tuesday night, accompanying Mrs. Schaff who had been at Touro Infirmary for a few days. Friends will learn with interest of Mrs. Schaff's rapid convalescence.

—Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien have moved from South Beach to Carroll avenue, occupying an inviting cottage west from Central School. Mr. Kergosien says he could never feel at home anywhere else but on Carroll avenue and had to move back.

—The rebuilding of an oven marks considerable improvement in the interior of the well-known Sanitary Bakery, Washington street, of which A. D. Vassili is proprietor. John Gulekner, professional oven builder for which he is well known over this section of the country had the contract.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bale and child of Chicago, motored down for a visit to Mrs. Bale's sister, Mrs. August Carrere, where they are visiting at the Carrere home on beach boulevard near Nicholson avenue. Mrs. Bale has already been the recipient of several social attentions. The party will attend the New Orleans Carnival and will visit Florida before returning to Chicago, where Mr. Bale is prominently connected.

—The following item from a New Orleans print will prove of local interest: Mrs. Emory Denton, Mrs. Jack Denton and Miss Anne Denton of Springfield, Mo., have arrived for the Carnival and are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Marshall, at the family residence in Pine street. Miss Mary Eliza Marshall and Mr. Charles Marshall will entertain a large number of the younger set at tea on Sunday, February 11, in honor of Miss Denton, for whom many parties have been planned.

—Opening of the Shushan Airport at New Orleans will serve as a substantial added feature to the Carnival and it is confidently expected crowds in the City that Care Forgot will exceed previous numbers by many years back. "The road is now open" is the popular expression, meaning depression is over, and with that avenue no longer closed by depression there is further reason New Orleans will have "the biggest crowds in years." The Crescent City and its people are entitled to all the good things that may come their way.

—Young Edward Carrere and John Maxwell, both residents of Waveland, had a narrow escape from death Sunday afternoon late while they were returning from the aeroplane exhibitions. They were driven by the regular chauffeur. The car turned over at the curve on Old Spanish Trail, intersection of Washington street and was wrecked. However, only Maxwell was hurt, by sustaining a sprained ankle. Carrere is slightly bruised and the chauffeur escaped. The car turned over several times, it is said, and it is a near miracle, judging from the appearance of the car, that all three occupants escaped.

## Deaths

### WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN OF LOGTOWN DIES AT HOME TUESDAY 6TH.

### James R. Mitchell Passes Away Unexpectedly—Funeral Wednesday at Local Cemetery

James R. Mitchell, father of Charles J. Mitchell, cashier at the Hancock County Bank of Bay St. Louis, died at the family home in Logtown Tuesday morning. Although he had been ailing from time to time, he was somewhat better and his passing away at that time was unexpected.

The funeral took place Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock from the family home at Logtown and interment at the local cemetery. Rev. Slade, of Logtown, and Rev. J. E. Gray, of Bay St. Louis Methodist church, conducted the funeral ceremony. A member of Woodmen of the World, members attended in a body, joining the unusually large attendance which attested to the high esteem in which this citizen of Hancock was held.

In addition to his widow, and son he is also survived by a daughter, Miss Alice Mitchell, and four brothers: Sam Mitchell, Clarence Mitchell, both residents of Gulfport; Frank Mitchell of Logtown and Walter Mitchell resident of Pontchartrale, La.

The passing away of Mr. Mitchell is noted with more than ordinary regret. He was a splendid citizen, a neighbor worthy of the term and a friend in the truest sense to man. His family have the sympathy of the many friends and acquaintances. The Echo notes the passing of this representative of Hancock county with deepest regret.

### MRS. NELLIE M. KELLER.

Mrs. Nellie M. Keller died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Josephine Wood, at 11 o'clock Thursday morning January 25, after being ill three months. The Wood home is located on the Old Spanish Trail, South of Picaune in Aaron Academy community.

Funeral services were conducted in Corinth Baptist Church at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Friday, January 26, with the Rev. J. D. Slay, Methodist minister of Logtown, Miss., officiating. Interment was in Turtle Skin cemetery.

Mrs. Keller, who was a daughter of the late Nels P. Mikelson, was born 84 years ago near Kiln. She had been a resident of that section and other parts of Hancock county all her life. She was a member of the Corinth Baptist church.

Mrs. Keller was the widow of H. W. Keller who died in 1912. She is survived by five sons and three daughters: J. N. Keller, Beaumont, Texas; T. E. Keller, sheriff of Hancock county, Bay St. Louis; C. C. H. W. and James A. Keller of Route One, Picaune; Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Josephine Wood and Mrs. Sophie L. Setewart of Route One, Picaune. —Picaune Item.

### COURTS OF TWO BALLS INVITED TO BE GUESTS OF UNCLE CHARLIE'S.

Management of Uncle Charlie's beautiful and popular Nite Club has invited the respective royal courts of the Bay St. Louis and Pass Christian Carnival Balls to be the formal guests of the place on Saturday night of this week, following the ball at Pass Christian, which will occur the same night. Bay St. Louis ball occurring Thursday night of this week.

A special floor show program has been arranged for this unusual occasion and in all this Saturday night at Uncle Charlie's promises to prove one of unusual interest.

Mrs. George E. Pitcher on Friday afternoon of last week gave the second of two-table bridge series at her home on North Beach Boulevard, at Cedar Point.

—Clerk of the Courts, A. G. Favre, County Attorney E. J. Gex, Mr. Leo W. Seal, Sheriff T. Ed. Keller and others attended the Mitchell funeral at Logtown Wednesday afternoon. Bay St. Louis was well represented in paying its respects to this well-known Hancock citizen.

### A Counterfeiter.

Miss Flat—I would thank you not to go around slandering my looks when the fact is my face is my fortune.

Miss Sharp—I didn't slander you. All I said was that if your face was your fortune as you said it was, you ought to be arrested for passing counterfeit money.

### WORK AND PLAY AT S. J. A.

### LITTLE RED RIDING HOOD BIG SUCCESS.

The Elementary Grades responsible for the entertainment given last Friday are to be congratulated for the big success they made of it. The pantomime Mother Goose Rhymes were enjoyed by all. In the opera of "Red Riding Hood," each character—yes, even the Wolf, carried out her part well.

S. J. A. wishes to thank Mrs. Thompson for her valuable assistance in helping to stage the entertainment. We are especially grateful to her for teaching the dancing and supplying several of the costumes.

### FORTY HOURS DEVOTION.

Forty Hours Devotion took place at Our Lady of the Gulf church Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. The S. J. A. girls tried to get the fullest possible benefit from this special time of grace. The various classes replaced each other continuously for a half hour's adoration from 8:30 to 3:00 o'clock.

The High School turned out in large numbers at the services Tuesday night when Forty Hours Devotion was brought to a solemn close.

### FIRST DEFEAT.

The Gold Jays journeyed to Gulfport Saturday night where they succumbed to their first victors. Having had a clean slate throughout the season, with the exception of one tie, they gracefully and like real sports, relinquished the honor to Gulfport to the tune of 58-16.

Unfortunately four of the first team players were fouled out in the second and third quarters, while the Gulfport team remained intact.

That's all right Gold Jays, we're proud of you in spite of your defeat. You make better losers than winners. Sometimes the best players have to lose to show what good sports they are.

The Rock-A-Chaws preserved the reputation of Bay St. Louis by trouncing the Gulfport boys to the score of 48-17. Their victory made up for our defeat.

### HONORS FOR THIRD SIX WEEKS' PERIOD.

Seniors—First honors—Alice Cameron. Second honors—Lois Wolf. Juniors—First honors, Almie Hauser, Pearl Raby. Second honors, Ruth Herrin, Margaret Zimmerman.

Sophomores—First honors, Alma Maxwell. Second honors, Helen Martin.

Freshmen—First honors, Catherine Chadwick. Second honors, Pearl Chauvin, Marjorie Seuzeneau, Margaret Jane Williams.

Eighth Grade—First honors, Ann Benvenuti. Second honors, Mary Benvenuti.

Seventh Grade—First honors, Blanche Wenar. Second honors, Elaine Chauvin, Marjorie Scafield.

Sixth Grade—First honors, Joyce Becker. Second honors, Lucille Ryan, Amelia Lopez.

Fifth Grade—First honors, Vivian Prague. Second honors, Helen Arnold.

Fourth Grade—First honors, Anna Mae Tomasich, Evelyn Taconi. Second honors, Gladys Capdepon.

Third Grade—First honors, Catherine Lafontaine, Amelia Chadwick. Second honors, Irma Rita Tudury.

Third Grade Boys—First honors, Peter Benvenuti. Second honors, John Slavic.

Second Grade—First honors, Catherine Kehoe. Second honors, Betty Lee Mitchell.

### A. & G. Theater

Thursday & Friday, Feb. 8-9.  
**MARIE DRESSLER & LIONEL BARRYMORE** in  
**"HER SWEETHEART"**  
 And comedy.

Saturday, Feb. 10.  
**GINGER ROGERS & JOEL McCRAE** in  
**"CHANCE AT HEAVEN"**  
 And comedy.

Sunday & Monday, Feb. 11-12.  
**FREDERIC MARCH, MIRIAM HOPKINS & GARY COOPER** in  
**"DESIGN FOR LIVING"**  
 Fox News & Cartoon.

Tuesday & Wed., Feb. 13-14.  
**CLARA BOW** in  
**"HOOPLA"**  
 And comedy.

Thursday & Friday, Feb. 15-16.  
**"THE INVISIBLE MAN"**

Program subject to change without Notice.

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
 To Catherine Barry Williams, William D. Seymour, New Orleans Bank & Trust Company and Robert H. Kammes.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Second Monday of March, A. D. 1934, to defend the suit No. 1934-1, in said Court of W. A. McDonald, wherein you are Defendants, the same being a suit to foreclose a vendor's lien.

This 8th day of February, A. D. 1934.  
 (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

### "Design For Living" Crammed With Talent By Cinema's Finest

When seven accomplished artists collaborate on a motion picture the result ought to be gratifying, and it is, as revealed in Paramount's "Design For Living," which will be at the A. & G. Theater, Sunday and Monday.

The seven who contributed their great skill, enthusiasm and sophistication to the comedy drama are Fredric March, Gary Cooper, Miriam Hopkins, Edward Everett Horton, Director Ernst Lubitsch, Noel Coward, and the playwright, and Ben Hecht, who transcribed the play for the screen.

Adroitly conceived, brilliantly directed and acted with verve and understanding, "Design For Living," opens a new, broad field of screen literature, and it may be predicted that here is a plot that will be copied extensively as the next film cycle.

The story is unique and absorbing. An American girl falls in love with two young musketeers of art in the Paris Latin Quarter. The men are life-long friends. A strange love affair is inevitable, and the principals resign themselves to whatever joys, jealousies and agonies they result from a three-cornered love.

But she crosses them both up by marrying a third man who offers her his heart and name. He, unfortunately is too obsessed by his affairs to give her the love she needs, and when she realizes her mistake, she leaves her husband for her two musketeers.

No Jack-in-the-box surprises were ever applied more adroitly to motion pictures plot than those uncorked by the two-timing three-some in "Design For Living." And the climax is a laughing bomb-shell, as anyone might expect of an Ernst Lubitsch-Ben Hecht adaptation.

All his undue misgivings for turning his masterpiece over for motion picture entertainment, playwright Coward may now rest easily. For Paramount's offering matches in every particular the brilliance of the Broadway play.

### Improving

Stranger—Well, how are things around here?

Native—They must be improving. All the farmers wish they could get government jobs and all the government men wish they could be farmers.



### NEW ORLEANS

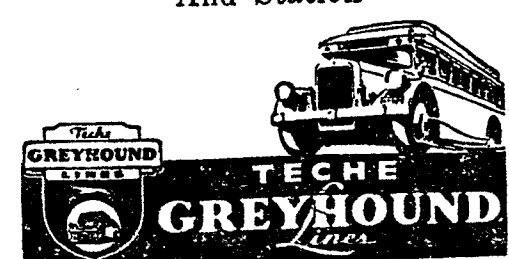
February 9 thru 13  
 America's greatest carnival festivities right near home... and Teche Greyhound Lines sleek new, luxurious buses take you right into the heart of it at the lowest fares in history. Special service assures your enjoyment of this colorful event. Travel by bus for greatest pleasure.

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### CLASSIFIED ADS.

**ROOM FOR RENT.**  
 At 806 Hancock street, with hot and cold water and bath accessible. Terms reasonable. Inquire within. 2-9—2tp.

**ROSE BUSHES—2-Year Plants—\$2.50 per dozen.** Also Pecan trees and other fruit trees.—James Brodie and Sons, Biloxi, Miss.

**HELP WANTED MALE.**  
 Wanted Tea and Coffee Route man for regular route through Bay St. Louis and Hancock county. Apply by letter immediately.—M. L. Toogstad Coffee Company, Kokomo, Indiana.

**FOR SALE**  
 Two Registered Jersey Cows, one will be fresh in March. Apply Box 3, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

**FOUND**  
 Old-Style Gold Wedding Ring, with date and initials engraved inside. Owner apply 204 Washington street. Bay St. Louis, Miss.

**FOR SALE**  
 Carnival Snits—all kinds and sizes. 30c up. Apply Mrs. W. A. Staehle.

**WANTED HELP**  
 Colored couple, general farm work, good milkers and gardeners. Box 120, Route 1, Gulfport, Miss. 2tc.

**BIRD DOGS—English Setters,** registered, trained and untrained, will sell cheap or trade for Outboard motor. Apply Box 3, Bay St. Louis.

### Altar Boys' Society Take Part in 40 Hours Devotion This Week

Members of the Society took an active part in the Forty Hours Adoration at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf, last Monday and Tuesday. At all times during these two days there were four altar boys as guards of honor before the altar.

The Saint John Berchman's Altar Society at Stanislaus is well organized under the direction of Reverend Father Fahey. The society has been functioning with much regularity from the beginning of school.

At a recent meeting of the Society Father Fahey gave a talk on the significance of the Mass proper. He told the boys the meaning of each action and prayer of the priest while upon the altar. After Father Fahey's talk the treasurer of the society announced that the Picnic fund was very low, and unless the boys brought in their money on time they would not be able to participate in the outing.

### Mardi Gras to Be Observed in Bay St. Louis By Proclamation

Next Tuesday, Mardi Gras, a time-honored festival, Mayor G. Y. Blaize has issued the city's official proclamation, making the day a holiday. In order that people may employ the care-free day he has proclaimed it to the extent that he asks that all places of business be closed and that the public fall into the spirit of the general festivity of the day.

Both banks of this city, taking cognizance of the Mayor's proclamation, will observe the holiday.

### Program For The Fifth Hancock Co. Teachers Meet

Theme: Grading, Reports and Records.

I. General Session: 10:00 A. M.

1. Devotional, 10 minutes.

2. Special—Sellers School 5 min.

3. Address, Geo. M. Dean, 45 min.

II. Group Meetings, 11:00 A. M.

1. Primary.

(a) To What extent may grading and reports be used in measuring progress in primary work.—Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

(b) Use of grading for Motivation.—Miss Vera Cuevas.

III. Intermediate:

1. Purposes of grading and reports.—Mr. Hillis.

2. Basis for grading.—Mrs. W. A. McQueen.

(a) Percentage.

(b) Others.—Mrs. Schilling.

Discussion.

IV. High School:

1. Purpose of grading and reports.

2. Interpreting reports to child and parent.

3. What should report contain?

### No Refund On Auto Tags For This Year

There will be no reduction in the cost of 1934 auto license tags.

Although the current legislative session may reduce prices for 1935 tags, they can not cut prices for this year's tags, making the act retroactive and refunding the difference to those who have already purchased tags. Attorney General Greer L. Rice advised the Senate Monday.

After putting the Rice opinion in the record "to show the people why we can't give them relief on our taxes this year," the Senate passed the Gregory bill, which scales tag costs down to flat rates of \$3, \$6 and \$9 for cars of 2,000 pounds, 2,000 to 3,000 pounds and over 4,000 pounds respectively. It would go into effect December 1, 1934.

The bill, which is a compromise between the original Gregory measure and a "dollar per cylinder" bill passed by the House last week, but reconsidered and sent back to the House ways and means committee, is expected to get through the House without stiff opposition.

Representative Charles Mansell, of Madison, author of the House tag cut bill, said he will help support the Gregory bill in the House. Mansell still holds his bill, signed by 75 representatives, a majority. His bill calls for flat rates of \$4, \$6 and \$8.

### EVER WELCOME CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. A. S. McQUEEN.

At meeting of the Ever Welcome Club with Mrs. A. S. McQueen on Carroll avenue, Monday afternoon, the real bunnies made their appearance. Each member present worked enthusiastically to get the little felt bunnies finished, and by Easter we hope Bay St. Louis will be full of many colorful bunnies. Mrs. McQueen in her charming manner served a lovely salad course.

Those present were: Mrs. A. S. McQueen, Mrs. W. S. Speer, Mrs. E. Middleton, Mrs. David Middleton, Mrs. J. J. Barker, Mrs. Wallace Vaughn, Mrs. Laurent Dickson, Mrs. Robert Downing, Mrs. Harold Rhodes, Mrs. J. S. Shaw.

We are ever ready to welcome visitors and new members. We hope to have a record breaking crowd at Mrs. (Dr.) W. S. Speer on Main street Monday afternoon.

**Girl Student—**We had a voting contest to decide which was the prettiest girl in our school of 140.

**Friend—**How did it turn out?

**Girl—**It couldn't be decided as the count showed there were 140 different girls voted for.

# MARDI GRAS PROCLAMATION!

SINCE Mardi Gras is a time-honored institution and observed more particularly in this section of our land, and since our people must have recreation and a recess for at least one day from their worldly cares; and it is fitting at this time we do observe Mardi Gras and take advantage of the day and its pleasure to recess; and since it is not only fitting and proper, but in consideration of the custom, therefore, be it

PROCLAIMED that I, G. Y. Blaize, mayor city of Bay St. Louis, do officially proclaim that Tuesday, 13, 1934, be a holiday and that it be enjoyed fully in the sense intended.

Given at the City Hall, Bay St. Louis, Miss., this 6th day of February A. D. 1934.

G. Y. BLAIZE.

ATTEST:  
 W. L. BOURGEOIS  
 H. GRADY PERKINS.

### AID RECOVERY BY SPENDING WISELY IS GOOD POLICY

### Bay St. Louis People Can do Much For Their Own Improvement.

We cannot read through an issue of any newspaper today without realizing the gigantic struggle the Government of these United States is making to bring to an end the economic debacle which we call "the Depression." It does seem that every possible means is being undertaken by which business can be put on its feet again and all of us can be brought back to "the old days."

Every citizen is the nation should appreciate the immensity of the struggle and should do all in his or her power to aid in making the fight worthwhile and successful.

Just what are you, personally and individually, doing, to help the country to work itself out of the darkest era we have passed through in decades? The average man or woman will probably answer that there isn't much he or she can do. But there is!

Each one of us can do our share by going out and buying those things we have been needing and have just put off buying, hoping that conditions would get brighter and we would be able to buy them without feeling the strain on our pocketbooks quite so clearly.

It may be that the housewives of Bay St. Louis haven't thought anything to speak of for the house in several years. Now is the time to replenish the linen closet with sheets, pillow cases, towels, table cloths and the like because you won't be able to duplicate the prices being offered by merchants now for quite a while to come. Prices are going up and up, as you well know.

Mr. Home-owner, what have you done about your home in the past few years. Very little, well, we thought so. Isn't this a good time to think of repainting the house, making those alterations you have planned for a long time that would add so much to the comfort of your home, or entirely modernizing the whole house. You'll never be able to buy materials more reasonably or feel that you are doing more for your country than you can by planning your work now and employing men who have been unemployed for so long.

Every dollar you spend in Bay St. Louis and every man you employ will be felt in improved conditions in Bay St. Louis.

When you patronize our merchants, these merchants will be able to hire more clerks and more clerks will mean more money circulating. More money circulating in a community means increased business for everybody. The merchant will have to buy more goods from the manufacturer, the manufacturer in turn will need more raw materials from the farms in order to fill these orders, the farmer will receive more for his products because of increased demands and will be enabled to purchase some of those very necessary things he has done without so long, and so the cycle begins and goes on and on and on.

LET'S DO OUR PART TO HELP OUR COUNTRY AND THUS HELP OURSELVES.

### COURT FOR PASS CARNIVAL.

A king was chosen by vote from the number of candidates last Saturday for the fifth Pass Christian annual Carnival ball which will be held at Grey Castle, but his identity will not be revealed until the night of the ball.

Those who will constitute the court are: E. A. Lang, Bernard Hayden, Denis Driscoll, W. J. Hursey, Jr., Cary Spence, Leo McDermott and Donald Sutter.

The carnival ball will be held Saturday night, February 10. The arrival of the royal court and the grand march will begin at 9 o'clock.

### WITH THE MOVIES AND FILM FOLKS

(For The Sea Coast Echo)

ADHERING with strict fidelity to the period of the story, Will Rogers' latest picture, is almost completed on the Fox lot. "David Harum," hard-fisted philosophical banker of upper New York State, is being brought back to life by Rogers, who depicts the customs and manners of the last century, even to drinking his coffee out of a saucer.

"Hi, Nellie," Paul Muni's latest film, has been completed and is ready for distribution. Muni portrays the part of a managing editor who was demoted to the "Heart Throbs" page under the pen-name of Nellie Nelson. With him in the cast are Greta Farrell, Douglas Dumbr